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**TAX CREDIT** 

Party

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**Income Taxes: Credits: Film** 

**Bill Summary** 

**AB 3** 

States the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to expand or continue the Film

and Television Tax Credit Program.

Status: Failed

**Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 12/03/2012. To Assembly Committees on Arts, Entertainment, Sports, Tourism & Internet Media and Revenue & Taxation on 01/06/2014. Rereferred to Rules on 01/06/2014. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on

02/03/2014.

**Next Hearing Positions** 

**Author** 

Bocanegra

Location

Assembly

**CITY ISSUES** Homelessness

**Bill Summary** 

**AB 5 Party** Author

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Assembly

Location

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** CA League: Oppose person's rights, privileges, or access to public services may be denied or abridged because he or she is homeless. Provides the right to specified actions, confidentiality of certain records, legal assistance, and restitution. Prohibits retaliation against a public employer for assisting the homeless. Requires reports and public information regarding ordinances and certain actions against the homeless. Provides civil penalties.

Enacts the Homeless Person's Bill of Rights and Fairness Act. Provides that no

Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 12/03/2012. To Assembly Committee on Judiciary on 01/24/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Judiciary on 04/08/2013. From Judiciary: Do pass (7-3) to Appropriations on 04/23/2013. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 04/30/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on

02/03/2014.

**ECONOMIC** DEVELOPMENT

AB 9

Author **Party** Holden

Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Bill Summary** 

**Income Taxes: Credits: Enterprise Zone** 

Amends the Personal Income Tax and the Corporation Tax laws that allow various credits against the taxes imposed by those laws, including credits for taxpayers that employ qualified employees in an enterprise zone. Modifies the definition of a qualified employee. Requires qualified wages to exceed an average monthly wage of \$2,000.

Status: Failed

**Recent Activity** Introduced on 12/03/2012. To Assembly Committee on Rules on 02/12/2013. Re-referred to Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy and Revenue & Taxation on 03/19/2013. Author's amendments, rereferred to Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy on 03/19/2013. From Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy: Hearing canceled at the request of the author on 04/23/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

**Positions** 

**GOVERNMENT** Sidewalk: Repairs

**Bill Summary** 

Prohibits a city, county, or city and county that has an ordinance in operation that **AB 22** requires it to repair or reconstruct streets, sidewalks, or driveways that have been Author **Party** damaged as a result of tree growth from repealing the ordinance without the Blumenfield D

concurrence of the local electorate by majority vote.

Status: Failed **Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 12/03/2012. To Assembly Committee on Local Government on 01/14/2013. From Local Government: Hearing canceled at the request of author on 04/10/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

**Next Hearing Positions** 

Location

Assembly

Assembly Committees: Accountability & Administrative Review (AAR) | Appropriations (A) | Budget (B) | Housing & Community Development (HCD) | Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy (JEDE) Local Government (LG) | Natural Resources (NR) | Revenue & Taxation (R&T) | Rules | Transportation (T) | Utilities & Commerce (U&C) | Water, Parks & Wildlife (WPW) Senate Committees: Appropriations (A) | Business, Professions & Economic Development (BPED) | Education (EDU) | Elections & Constitutional Amendments (ECA) | Energy, Utilities & Communications (EUC) Environmental Quality (EQ) | Governance & Finance (G&F) | Governmental Organization (GO) | Judiciary (J) | Labor & Industrial Relations (LIR) | Natural Resources & Water (NRW) | Rules (R) | Transportation & Housing (T&H)

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## **CAP & TRADE**

## **Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund**

## **Bill Summary**

**AB 26** 

**Author** Party Bonilla D

Location Senate: LIR

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

Requires projects paid for in whole or in part from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to be considered public works. Authorizes fund moneys to be made available for refinery work if that work is related to reducing greenhouse gases that falls within an apprenticeable occupation that will be performed by journeypersons and apprentices. Requires an apprentice safety training curriculum. Requires the issuance of a certificate to a worker who completes the curriculum. Relates to paying training wages.

Status: Passed to SENATE

#### **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (12-5) on 05/24/2013. From Assembly: Passed (51-25) to Senate on 05/30/2013. To Senate Committees on Environmental Quality and Labor & Industrial Relations on 06/13/2013. From Environmental Quality: Do pass (7-2) to Labor & Industrial Relations on 06/19/2013. From Labor & Industrial Relations: Not heard in committee on 06/26/2013. From Labor & Industrial Relations: Not heard in committee on 07/10/2013.

# **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

**AB 28** 

Author **Partv** Perez, V. D

Location Assembly **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# **Economic Development: Enterprise Zones**

#### **Bill Summary**

Revises various definitions for purposes of the Enterprise Zone Act and modifies specified requirements for designating and administering enterprise zones, LAMBRA's and G-TEDA's, collectively. Imposes new requirements on the Department of Housing and Community Development with respect to the enterprise zone program and modifies department and Franchise Tax Board Reporting requirements. Authorizes the department to charge a fee for specified tax credit applications for the administration of the Act.

Status: Failed

Recent Activity

Introduced on 12/03/2012. To Assembly Committees on Jobs, Economic Development & the Economy and Local Government on 01/14/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy on 03/04/2013. From Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy: Heard, remains in Committee on 04/23/2013. Amended, rereferred to Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy on 04/29/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

# **TRANSPORTATION**

# State Highway Route 86: Relinquishment

#### Bill Summary

**AB 62 Party** 

Author Hueso Location

Assembly **Next Hearing**  Authorizes the State Transportation Commission to relinquish to the Cities of Brawley, El Centro, and Imperial and the County of Imperial specified portions of State Highway Route 86 under certain conditions. This bill would also redesignate a specified portion of State Highway Route 86 as a part of State Highway Route 78 following relinquishment. This bill would also state the intent of the Legislature that State Highway Route 86 should remain as a future state highway along a new, specified route.

Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 01/07/2013. To Assembly Committee on Transportation on 01/18/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

# **Positions**

# **PROPOSITION 39 IMPLEMENTATION**

# **AB 114**

Author **Party** Salas D

Location Senate

**Next Hearing** Third Reading File **Positions** 

League: Watch

# **Proposition 39: Implementation: Workforce Development**

# **Bill Summary**

Amends existing law that appropriates funds to the State Workforce Development Board to develop and implement a competitive grant program for eligible communitybased and other training workforce organizations prepared disadvantaged youth or veterans for employment. Requires the Board to require a grant recipient to report to the Board specified information, and to review and assess the program in achieving the training and workforce development goals, identify problems and barriers, and provide solutions.

Status: Pending

# **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (16-0) on 05/24/2013. From Assembly: Passed (75-2) to Senate on 05/28/2013. To Senate Committees on Labor & Industrial Relations and Energy, Utilities & Communications on 06/06/2013. From Labor & Industrial Relations: Do pass (4-0) to Energy, Utilities & Commnications on 06/12/2013. From Energy, Utilities & Communications: Do pass (9-2) to Appropriations. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 07/09/2013. From Appropriations: To Second Reading without further hearing on 08/19/2013. From Senate: To Inactive File on 09/12/2013.

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# **ENVIRONMENT**

**Environment: Salton Sea: Dust Mitigation** 

**Bill Summary** 

AB 147

Author Party

Perez, V. M.

Location

Senate: NRW, EQ

Next Hearing

Requires the State Air Resources Board to evaluate and determine with the air quality planning completed by a joint powers authority is sufficient to mitigate the air quality impacts of the Quantification Settlement Agreement. Requires the state board, if it concludes that additional mitigation measures are needed, to submit recommendations to the authority.

**Status:** Passed to SENATE

**Recent Activity** 

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (17-0) on 05/24/2013. From Assembly: Passed (77-0) to Senate on 05/29/2013. To Senate Committees on Natural Resources & Water and Environmental Quality on 06/13/2013. From Natural Resources & Water: Hearing canceled at the request of the author on 06/18/2013.

**Positions** 

# **ENVIRONMENT**

# Salton Sea Restoration

#### **Bill Summary**

AB 148 thor Party

Author Part
Perez, V.M. D
Location

Senate: NRW

Next Hearing

Amends existing law requires the Secretary of the Natural Resources Agency, in consultation and coordination with the Salton Sea Authority, to lead Salton Sea restoration efforts. Eliminates the requirement that the secretary and the Legislature have final approval for any proposed restoration plan. Authorizes the authority to undertake a feasibility study; Prohibits a study or other activity from delaying the

planning and implementation of ongoing and planned restoration projects.

Status: Passed to SENATE

**Recent Activity** 

From Water, Parks & Wildlife: Do pass (15-0) to Appropriations on 01/14/2014. From Appropriations: Do pass (16-0) to Consent Calendar on 01/23/2014. From Assembly: Passed (78-0) to Senate on 01/29/2014. To Senate Committee on Natural Resources & Water on 02/06/2014.

Positions

# **CAP & TRADE**

# **Global Warming Solutions act of 2006: Offsets**

# **Bill Summary**

AB 153

Author Party
Bonilla D

Location

Assembly

Next Hearing

Amends the Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006. Requires the State Air Resources Board to adopt a specified process for the review and consideration of new offset protocols for reducing greenhouse gases and, commencing in 2014 and continuing thereafter, use that process to review and consider new offset protocols. Requires the board to adopt guidelines and incentives that prioritize the approval of specified offset protocols. Requires the board to submit a specified annual report to the Legislature.

Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 01/18/2013. To Assembly Committee on Natural Resources on 01/31/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 04/08/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (9-0) to Appropriations on 04/29/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

**Positions** 

# GOVERNMENT: MEETINGS

## **AB 185**

Author Party
Hernandez, R. D
Location

Assembly

Next Hearing

Positions

# Open and Public Meetings: Televised Meetings

## **Bill Summary**

Provides the time frame for destruction of an audio or video recording of an open and public meeting. Requires a local agency that collects a franchise fee from a state franchise holder that provides public, educational, and government access channels to televise the open and public meetings of its legislative body and planning commission, unless such is a financial hardship, then meetings would be broadcast via an audio-visual medium. Authorizes the use of franchise fees to implement such televising.

Status: Failed

# **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 01/28/2013. To Assembly Committee on Local Government on 02/07/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 03/11/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 04/02/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 04/17/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 04/17/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 04/23/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

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# **INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCING**

**AB 229** 

**Author Party** D Perez. I.

Location Assembly

Inactive File

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# **Infrastructure and Revitalization Financing Districts**

**Bill Summary** 

Authorizes the creation by a city, county, city and county, and joint powers authority, of an infrastructure and revitalization financing district and the issuance of debt with voter approval. Authorizes the creation of a district and the issuance of debt. Authorizes a district to finance projects in redevelopment project areas and former redevelopment project areas and former military bases.

Status: Passed Both Houses

**Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 02/04/2013. To Assembly Committee on Local Government on 02/15/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 04/08/2013. From Local Government: Do pass (8-1) to Appropriations on 04/17/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (16-1) on 05/01/2013. From Assembly: Passed (71-3) to Senate on 05/09/2013. To Senate Committee on Governance & Finance on 05/23/2013. From Governance & Finance: Do pass (6-1) to Appropriations on 06/05/2013. Amended, rereferred to Appropriations on 06/11/2013. From Appropriations: To Second Reading without further hearing on 06/24/2013. From Senate: Passed (30-6), to Assembly for concurrence on 08/22/2013. From Assembly: To Inactive File on 09/11/2013.

# **INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCING**

**AB 243** 

Author **Party** 

Dickinson Location

Assembly **Next Hearing** 

Inactive File **Positions** 

# **Local Government: Infrastructure Financing Districts**

Authorizes the creation of an infrastructure and revitalization financing district and the issuance of debt with voter approval. Authorizes a district to finance projects in redevelopment project areas and former redevelopment project areas and former military bases if special conditions are met. Authorizes a district to fund various projects, including watershed land used for the collection and treatment of water for urban uses, flood management, open space, habitat restoration and development

**Bill Summary** 

# **Status:** Passed Both Houses

**Recent Activity** 

From Appropriations: Do pass (12-5) on 05/01/2013. From Assembly: Passed (44-29) to Senate on 05/09/2013. To Senate Committee on Governance & Finance on 05/23/2013. Author's amendments, rereferred to Governance & Finance on 06/05/2013. From Governance & Finance: Do pass (4-2) to Appropriations on 06/12/2013. From Appropriations: To Second Reading without further hearing on 07/01/2013. Amended on 08/19/2013. From Senate: Passed (22-13), to Assembly for concurrence. From Assembly: To Inactive File on 09/11/2013.

# **INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCING**

**AB 294** 

**Author Party** Holden D

Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

CA League: Support

# **Local-State Joint Investment Partnership Program Bill Summary**

Establishes a pilot program whereby certain local government entities, upon the approval and oversight of the Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank, are authorized to reallocate their annual payments of property tax revenue directed to the Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund to instead finance finance certain kinds of public works that further state policy. Requires each entity operating a project under the program and the bank to submit reports on program results.

Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/11/2013. To Assembly Committee on Local Government on 02/28/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 04/08/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 04/23/2013. From Local Government: Do pass (8-0) to Appropriations on 05/01/2013. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 05/06/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

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FINANCE: TAX CREDIT Income Taxes: Hiring Credits: Investment Credits

AB 305 Amends the

Author Party

Perez, V. D **Location**Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

CA League: Support

Bill Summary

Amends the Personal Income Tax and the Corporation Tax laws that provides a credit for each full-time employee hired by a qualified employer. Calculates the cut-off date for the hiring credit. Allows a credit, in modified conformity with a federal New Market Tax Credit, in a specified amount for investments in low-income communities. Limits the total amount for investments in low-income communities and limits that cumulative total amount of the credit. Requires application fees to defray tax credit costs.

Status: Failed

**Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 02/12/2013. To Assembly Committees on Revenue & Taxation and Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy on 02/28/2013. Rereferred to Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy and Revneue & Taxation on 03/04/2013. From Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy: Do pass (8-0) to Revenue & Taxation on 04/09/2013. Amended, re-referred to Revenue & Taxation: Do pass (9-0) to Appropriations on 05/13/2013. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 05/21/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

AB 311 Party

Author Par
Perez, V. D
Location
Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Economic Development Projects** 

**Bill Summary** 

Authorizes the California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank board of directors to enter into development and financing agreements for projects within the California-Mexico border region. Authorizes a binational financing authority to facilitate and support the economic development of communities within the border region.

Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/12/2013. To Assembly Committee on Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy on 02/28/2013. From Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy: Do pass (6-2) to Appropriations on 04/09/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk

**Positions** 

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

**AB 337** 

Author Party
Allen R

Location
Senate: BPED
Next Hearing

**Positions** 

Author

Dickinson

Location

Senate: EQ
Next Hearing

**Economic Development: International Trade: Investments** 

**Bill Summary** 

Relates to economic development, international trade, investments and strategies for trade and investments. Requires a strategy to be based on current and emerging market conditions and the needs of investors, businesses, and workers to be competitive in global markets.

**Status:** Passed to SENATE

pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

**Recent Activity** 

From Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy: Do pass (8-0) to Appropriations on 01/07/2014. From Appropriations: Do pass (16-0) on 01/23/2014. From Assembly: Passed (76-1) to Senate on 01/27/2014. To Senate Committee on Business, Professions & Economic Development on 02/06/2014.

**ENVIRONMENT** 

**AB 380** 

**Party** 

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California Environmental Quality Act: Notice

Bill Summary

Amends the California Environmental Quality Act. Requires that notices regarding environmental impact reports filed by lead agencies need to be filed with the Office of Planning and Research and the county clerk and posted by the clerk for public review. Provides notice requirements for projects that are determined to be exempted from the Act.

Status: Passed to SENATE

Recent Activity

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (12-5) on 05/24/2013. From Assembly: Passed (53-23) to Senate on 05/29/2013. To Senate Committee on Environmental Quality on 06/13/2013.

**Positions** 

Assembly Committees: Accountability & Administrative Review (AAR) | Appropriations (A) | Budget (B) | Housing & Community Development (HCD) | Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy (JEDE)
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Senate Committees: Appropriations (A) | Business, Professions & Economic Development (BPED) | Education (EDU) | Elections & Constitutional Amendments (ECA) | Energy, Utilities & Communications (EUC)
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## **CAP & TRADE**

# **Local Emission Reduction Program**

# **AB 416**

Author **Party** 

Gordon D Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

CA League: Support

#### Bill Summary

Creates the Local Emission Reduction Program and requires money to be available from the general fund for providing grants and other financial assistance to develop and implement greenhouse gas emissions reduction projects in the state, giving consideration to the ability of a project to create local job training and job creation benefits and achieve greenhouse gas emissions reduction. Provides the public entities that will be required to administer the program.

Status: Failed

## **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 02/15/2013. To Assembly Committees on Natural Resources and Local Government on 02/28/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 03/21/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (6-2) to Local Government on 04/01/2013. Amended, re-referred to Local Government on 04/04/2013. From Local Government: Do pass (7-2) to Appropriations on 04/10/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/01/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

## **PLANNING**

# **Sustainable Communities**

#### **Bill Summary**

**AB 453** 

Author **Party** Mullin D Location

Senate: A **Next Hearing** Held In Committee

**Positions** 

Amends existing law relating to the award of grants and loans to a council of governments, metropolitan planning organizations, regional transportation planning agencies, and city, county, or joint powers authorities to implement a plan to support sustainable communities development. Makes a local agency formation commission eligible for financial assistance. Requires a certain regional transportation plan to include the effect development may have on meeting greenhouse gas emissions reduction targets.

Status: Passed to SENATE

#### Recent Activity

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 04/17/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (16-0) on 05/24/2013. From Assembly: Passed (65-11) to Senate on 05/30/2013. To Senate Committee on Natural Resources & Water on 06/13/2013. From Natural Resources & Water: Do pass (9-0) to Appropriations on 06/25/2013. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 07/03/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/12/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 08/30/2013.

# **ENVIRONMENT:** JUDICIAL REVIEW

#### **AB 515**

Author **Party** Dickinson D

Location Senate: EQ, J

Next Hearing

**Positions** 

# State Environmental Quality Act: Writ of Mandate

## **Bill Summary**

Amends the State Environmental Quality Act that requires a court, if the court finds that a public agency has violated the requirements of the Act, to issue an order, in the form of a peremptory writ of mandate, specifying what actions by the public agency are necessary to comply with the requirements of the Act. Requires the writ to specify the time by which the public agency is to make an initial return of the writ containing specified information.

Status: Passed to SENATE

### **Recent Activity**

From Judiciary: Do pass (9-0) to Appropriations on 01/14/2014. From Appropriations: Do pass (15-0) on 01/23/2014. From Assembly: Passed (64-4) to Senate on 01/27/2014. To Senate Committees on Environmental Quality and Judiciary on 02/06/2014.

# ENVIRONMENT

# **Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006**

# **AB 572**

# **Party**

Author Atkins Location Assembly

**Next Hearing Positions** 

# **Bill Summary**

Amends the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006. Requires for purposes of determining the viability of incentivizing greenhouse gas emissions reductions through increased energy efficiency, the Public Utilities Commission to develop one or more protocols to enable third-party intermediaries to document, aggregate, and trade or sell on behalf of specified entities, the greenhouse gas emission reductions value of energy efficiency measures that are more stringent than building code standards.

Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/20/2013. To Assembly Committee on Natural Resources on 03/04/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 03/14/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

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## **CAP & TRADE**

**Party** 

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# **Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund: Sustainable Communities**

**AB 574** 

Author Lowenthal, B.

Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

SCAG: Co-Sponsor CA League: Support CSAC: Support **RCTC: Support** 

Bill Summary

Requires the State Air Resources Board to establish standards for the use of moneys allocated in the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund for sustainable communities projects. Requires the board to establish the criteria for the development and implementation of regional grant programs. Requires the State Transportation Commission to designate the regional granting authority within each region of the state to administer the allocated moneys for regional grant programs.

Status: Failed **Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 02/20/2013. To Assembly Committee on Transportation on 03/04/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Transportation on 04/15/2013. Re-referred to Rules on 04/18/2013. Rereferred to Transportation & Natural Resources on 04/18/2013. From Transportation: Do pass (12-4) to Natural Resources on 04/22/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (6-3) to Appropriations on 04/29/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on

TRANSPORTATION: PROJECT DELIVERY

**AB 603** 

Author **Party** D Cooley

Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

**Public Contracts: Design-Build: Capitol Connector** Bill Summary

Authorizes the Capitol Southeast Connector Joint Powers Authority to utilize the design-build procurement for the Southwest Connector Project in Sacramento County, subject to authorization. Requires a transportation entity awarding a contract for a public works project, to reimburse the Department of Industrial Relations for cost of performing prevailing wage monitoring and enforcement of public works project. Requires the moneys to be deposited in a specified fund.

Status: Failed Recent Activity

02/03/2014.

Introduced on 02/20/2013. To Assembly Committees on Accountability & Administrative Review and Local Government on 03/07/2013. Withdrawn from Accountability & Administrative Review, re-referred to Transportation and Local Government on 04/01/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Transportation on 04/04/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Transportation on 04/16/2013. From Transportation: Hearing canceled at the request of the author on 04/22/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

**PLANNING** 

**AB 667** 

# Land Use: Development Project Review: Superstores

Author **Party** Hernandez, R. D Location

Senate: G&F **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

**Bill Summary** Requires a city, county, or city and county, including a charter city, prior to approval or disapproval of a proposed development project to permit the construction of a

superstore retailer, or where a superstore would be the recipient of a specified amount of financial assistance to cause an economic impact report to be prepared, to be paid for by the project applicant, to assess the effect such superstore will have on economic assistance areas, retail operations and employment in the same market

area.

**Status:** Passed to SENATE

# **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: Do pass (11-5) on 05/24/2013. From Assembly: Passed (41-31) to Senate on 05/28/2013. To Senate Committee on Governance & Finance on 06/06/2013. From Governance & Finance: Failed passage (3-2), reconsideration granted on 06/26/2013. From Governance & Finance: Not heard in Committee on 07/03/2013.

CA League: Oppose

#### **AB 677**

Author **Party** 

Fox Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

VEHICLE LICENSE FEE Finance: Property Tax Revenue: Vehicle License Fee

## **Bill Summary**

This bill would modify these reduction and transfer provisions, for the 2013-14 fiscal year and for each fiscal year thereafter, by providing for a vehicle license fee adjustment amount calculated on the basis of changes in assessed valuation. This bill would also modify these reduction and transfer provisions, for the 2013-14 fiscal year and for each fiscal year thereafter, by providing for a vehicle license fee adjustment amount for certain cities incorporating after a specified date, as provided.

Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/21/2013. To Assembly Committee on Local Government on 01/06/2014. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 01/06/2014. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec.10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

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# **INTERNATIONAL** RELATIONS

**AB 690** 

Author **Party** D

Campos Location Senate: BPED, A **Next Hearing** 

**State Government: International Relations** 

**Bill Summary** 

Existing law requires the California-Mexico Border Relations Council to, among other things, coordinate activities of state agencies that are related to cross-border programs, initiatives, projects, and partnerships that exist within state government. Existing law also authorizes the Office of California-Mexico Affairs to develop better relations with Mexico by coordinating with state agencies to foster economic cooperation. This bill would repeal, and recast those provisions relating to the California-Mexico Border Relations Council. This bill would repeal and recast those provisions relating to the Office of California-Mexico Affairs.

Status: Passed to SENATE

**Recent Activity** 

From Jobs, Economic Development & the Economy: Do pass (9-0) on 01/15/2014. From Assembly: Passed (78-0) to Senate on 01/29/2014. To Senate Committees on Business, Professions & Economic Development and Appropriations on 02/06/2014.

**Positions** 

CA League: Watch

**PLANNING** 

**AB 716** 

Author **Party** Quirk-Silva D Location

Senate: A **Next Hearing** Held in Committee

**Positions** 

Infrastructure: State Planning and Funding

Bill Summary

Amends the Infrastructure Planning Act. Requires the plan to set out priorities for coordination of investment and to include an analysis of investment coordination opportunities for capital outlay related to infill and transit-oriented development. Expands the definition of infrastructure to include housing. Requires the Governor to submit the plan with the assistance of the Strategic Growth Council. Requires specified planning.

Status: Passed to SENATE

Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/21/2013. To Assembly Committees on Housing & Community Development and Budget on 03/04/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Housing & Community Development on 04/02/2013. From Housing & Community Development: Do pass (5-2) to Budget on 04/17/2013. From Budget: Not heard on 05/02/2013. From Budget: Do pass (16-9) on 05/09/2013. From Assembly: Passed (51-20) to Senate on 05/16/2013. To Senate Committees on Governmental Organization and Natural Resources & Water on 05/30/2013. From Governmental Organization: Do pass (7-4) to Natural Resources & Water on 06/11/2013. Author's amendments, rereferred to Natural Resources & Water on 06/18/2013. From Natural Resources & Water: Do pass (7-2) to Appropriations on 06/25/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/12/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 08/30/2013.

**TRANSPORTATION** 

**AB 738** 

**Public Entity Liability: Bicycles** 

**Bill Summary** 

Party R

Location Assembly **Next Hearing** 

Author

Harkey

Provides that a public entity or an employee of a public entity acting within his or her official capacity is not liable for an injury caused to a person riding a bicycle while traveling on a roadway, if the public entity has provided a bike lane on that roadway.

Status: Failed

**Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 02/21/2013. To Assembly Committees on Judiciary and Local Government on 03/07/2013. From Judiciary: Hearing canceled at the request of the author on 04/23/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

**Positions** 

TRANSPORTATION: **PROJECT DELIVERY** 

**AB 749** 

Author Party Gorell R

Assembly **Next Hearing** 

Location

**Positions** 

SANBAG: Work With Author

**Public-Private Partnerships** 

**Bill Summary** 

Amends existing law that authorizes the State Department of Transportation and regional transportation agencies to enter into comprehensive development lease agreements with public and private entities, or consortia of those entities, for certain transportation projects that may charge certain users tolls and user fees and calls those arrangements public-private partnerships. States the intent of the Legislature for a project developed under these provisions to have specified characteristics.

Status: Failed

Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/21/2013. To Assembly Committee on Transportation on 03/04/2013. From Transportation: Hearing canceled at the request of the author on 04/15/2013. From Transportation: Not heard in committee on 04/29/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

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FINANCE: TAX CREDIT Income Taxes: Credits: Hiring Full-Time Employees

**AB 825** 

Author **Party** 

D

Medina Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

**Bill Summary** 

The Personal Income Tax Law and the Corporation Tax Law allow various credits against the taxes imposed by those laws, including a credit for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2009, in the amount of \$3,000 for each qualified fulltime employee hired by a qualified employer. Those laws define "qualified employer" as a taxpayer that employed 20 or fewer employees as of the last day of the preceding taxable year. This bill would, under both laws, for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2013, expand the definition of "qualified employer" to mean a taxpayer that employed 50 or fewer employees as of the last day of the preceding taxable year.

Status: Failed

**Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 02/21/2013. To Assembly Committee on Revenue & Taxation on 03/04/2013. From Revenue & Taxation: To Suspense File on 04/15/2013. From Revenue & Taxation: Do pass (7-0) to Appropriations on 05/13/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV. Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

TRANSPORTATION: **NEPA DELEGATION** 

**AB 863** 

Author **Party Torres** D

Location Assembly **Next Hearing** 

Authorizes the Department of Transportation to assume responsibilities for federal review and clearance under the National Environmental Policy Act for a transit project that is subject to the act. Provides that the state consents to the jurisdiction of the federal courts in that regard, and provides that the department may not assert immunity from suit under the U.S. Constitution with regard to actions brought relative to those responsibilities under federal law.

Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/21/2013. To Assembly Committees on Transportation and Natural Resources on 03/04/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

**Positions** 

Author

Allen, T.

Location

Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Party** 

R

**AB 886** 

FINANCE: TAX CREDIT Tax Credit Certificates for Exporters and Importers

**Transit Projects: Environmental Review Process** 

Bill Summary

**Bill Summary** 

Authorizes the State Transportation Financing Authority to award tax credit certificates to exporters and importers that demonstrate that they have increased their cargo tonnage or value through state ports and airports by specified amounts or have a net increase in qualified full-time employees hired in the state or have incurred capital costs for cargo facility in the state. Allows the credits under the Personal Income Tax and Corporation Tax laws. Authorizes fees to cover costs.

Status: Failed

**Recent Activity** Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committees

on Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy and Revenue & Taxation on 03/21/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy on 03/21/2013. From Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy: Do pass (8-0) to Revenue & Taxation on 04/09/2013. Amended, re-referred to Revenue & Taxation on 04/16/2013. From Revenue & Taxation: To Suspense File on 05/13/2013. From Revenue & Taxation: Do pass (7-0) to Appropriations on 05/13/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

**Positions** 

**California Environmental Quality Act** 

Author **Party** Ammiano Location Assembly

**ENVIRONMENT** 

**AB 953** 

Amends the California Environmental Quality Act, which defines environment and significant effect on the environment for certain purposes. Revises those definitions. Requires a lead agency to include in an environmental assessment report, a detailed statement on any effects that may result in the locating a proposed project near natural hazards or adverse environmental conditions.

Status: Failed

Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committee on Natural Resources on 03/07/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (5-3) to Appropriations on 04/15/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (11-5) on 05/08/2013. From Assembly: To Inactive File on 05/31/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

**Positions** 

**Next Hearing** 

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## REDEVELOPMENT

# **Redevelopment Dissolution**

#### **AB 981**

Author **Party** Bloom D

Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

CA League: Support

## **Bill Summary**

Relates to existing law that provides for the transfer of housing assets and functions previously performed by a dissolved redevelopment agency to one of several specified public entities. Authorizes that entity to designate the use of, and commit, indebtedness obligation proceeds that were issued prior to June 28, 2011.

# Status: Failed **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committees on Local Government and Housing & Community Development on 03/07/2013. From Local Government: Do pass (9-0) to Housing & Community Development on 04/24/2013. From Housing & Community Development: Do pass (7-0) to Appropriations on 05/01/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

## **TRANSPORTATION**

#### **Bill Summary**

## **AB 1002**

**Party** Author Bloom D Location

Assembly **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# **Vehicles: Registration Fee**

Imposes, in addition to any other taxes and fees specified in the Vehicle Code and the Revenue and Taxation Code, a tax to be paid at the time of registration or renewal of registration of every vehicle subject to registration under the Vehicle Code in a county that is in a metropolitan planning organization required to prepare a sustainable communities strategy as part of its transportation plan, with the deposit

of all such tax moneys in the Sustainable Communities Strategy Subaccount.

Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committees on Transportation and Local Government on 03/07/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Transportation on 03/12/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Transportation on 04/16/2013. From Transportation: Do pass (9-6) to Local Government on 04/22/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 04/23/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

#### **CAP & TRADE**

## Air Resources: Greenhouse Gas Emissions

# Bill Summary

**AB 1023** 

Author **Party** D

Eggman Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

Relates to a statewide greenhouse gas emissions limit. Enacts the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Through Recycling, Composting, and Recycled Content Manufacturing Investment Program. Requires the department to identify industry sectors that can reduce their greenhouse gas emissions through increased use of recycled content or by recovering putrescible materials. Requires a market development program. Provides incentive payments or grants for capital equipment. Provides a priority for disadvantaged communities.

Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committee on Natural Resources on 03/21/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 03/21/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (6-3) to Appropriations on 04/29/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

# **CAP & TRADE**

# Housing

# AB 1051

**Author Party** D Bocanegra Location

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

Assembly

**Bill Summary** 

Creates the Sustainable Communities for All program to fund transit-related projects through competitive grants and loans. Appropriates an unspecified sum from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to be allocated to the Department of Housing and Community Development to provide loans for the development and construction of housing development projects within close proximity to transit stations, and to other specified projects and programs intended to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

Status: Failed **Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committees on Housing & Community Development and Transportation on 03/21/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Housing & Community Development on 03/21/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Housing & Community Development on 04/08/2013. From Housing & Community Development: Do pass (4-2) to Transportation on 04/17/2013. From Transportation: Do pass (11-4) to Appropriations on 04/29/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

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## **CAP & TRADE**

# State Air Resources Board: Market-Based Compliance

# **AB 1056**

Author **Party** R lones

Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

#### Bill Summary

Amends the State Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 that authorizes the State Air Resources Board, by regulation, to adopt a market-based compliance mechanism to further the achievement of the statewide greenhouse gas emission limits. Requires the board, if the board adopts a market-based compliance mechanism that provides for auctioning of greenhouse gas allowances, to provide quarterly reports to certain committees of the Legislature regarding the auction.

Status: Failed

## **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committee on Natural Resources on 03/21/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 03/21/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

# **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

# **AB 1080**

Author **Party** Alejo D

Location Senate: A

**Next Hearing** Held in Committee

**Positions** SCAG: Support CA League: Support CSAC: Watch

# **Community Revitalization & Investment Authorities**

# **Bill Summary**

Authorizes certain public entities of a community revitalization and investment area to form a community revitalization plan within a community revitalization and investment authority to carry out the Community Redevelopment Law in a specified manner. Requires the authority to adopt a community revitalization plan for a community revitalization and investment area and authorizes the authority to include in that plan a provision for the receipt of tax increment funds.

## Status: Passed to SENATE

#### Recent Activity

From Appropriations: Do pass (12-5) on 05/15/2013. From Assembly: Passed (54-16) to Senate on 05/24/2013. To Senate Committees on Governance & Finance and Transportation & Housing on 06/06/2013. From Governance & Finance: Do pass (4-1) to Transportation & Housing on 06/19/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Transportation & Housing on 07/02/2013. From Transportation & Housing: Do pass (8-2) to Appropriations on 07/09/2013. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 08/12/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Appropriations on 08/20/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/26/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 08/30/2013.

# **ECONOMIC** DEVELOPMENT

#### AB 1081

Author Medina D

Senate: A **Next Hearing** 

Held in Committee

**Positions** 

Location

# **Economic Development: Goods-Movement Infrastructure**

### **Bill Summary**

Amends existing law that requires the Governor to submit to the Legislature a proposed infrastructure plan containing certain information concerning infrastructure needed by specified entities and a proposal for funding the needed infrastructure. Requires the plan to include additional information related to infrastructure identified by state and federal transportation authorities, recommendations for private sector financing, and strategies to address state goods movement needs.

# **Status:** Passed to SENATE

### **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/15/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (17-0) on 05/24/2013. From Assembly: Passed (78-0) to Senate on 05/30/2013. To Senate Committee on Transportation & Housing on 06/13/2013. From Transportation & Housing: Do pass (11-0) to Appropriations on 07/02/2013. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 07/09/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Appropriations on 08/12/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/12/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 08/30/2013.

# **AIR QUALITY**

# **AB 1102**

#### Author Allen R

Location Senate: EQ, NRW **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# **Beach Burning: Permit: South Coast Air Quality District**

# **Bill Summary**

Makes inoperative an open burning rule that restricts the use or location of a beach fire ring adopted by the South Coast Air Quality Management District until a public agency with jurisdiction over the area obtains and implements an approved coastal development permit. Subjects the removing or restricting of such ring to the State Coastal Act. Requires the application for a permit to include specified information.

# **Status:** Passed to SENATE

#### **Recent Activity**

From Natural Resources: Do pass (7-0) to Appropriations on 01/13/2014. From Appropriations: Do pass (16-0) on 01/23/2014. From Assembly: Passed (68-0) to Senate on 01/27/2014. To Senate Committees on Environmental Quality and Natural Resources & Water on 02/07/2014.

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## **GOVERNMENT**

# **Strategic Growth Council**

# Status: Passed to SENATE

#### **AB 1179**

# **Bill Summary**

**Party** 

D

Amends existing law that creates the Strategic Growth Council with specified duties relating to the coordination of actions of State agencies relative to improvement of air and water quality, natural resource protection, transportation, and various other matters. Adds the Superintendent of Public Instruction or his or her designee to the

Council.

#### **Recent Activity**

From Local Government: Do pass (7-2) to Appropriations on 01/15/2014. From Appropriations: Do pass (12-4) on 01/23/2014. From Assembly: Passed (58-18) to Senate on 01/27/2014. To Senate Committee on Natural Resources & Water on 02/06/2014.

Senate: NRW **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

Author

Bocanegra

Location

**TRANSPORTATION** 

Safe Routes to School Program

# **Bill Summary**

**AB 1194** 

Author **Party** Ammiano D

Location Senate: T&H **Next Hearing** 

Requires a specified percent of Safe Routes to School Program to be used for noninfrastructure activities to encourage walking and bicycling to school. Authorizes the transfer of the responsibility for selecting projects and awarding grants from the Department of Transportation to the State Transportation Commission.

Status: Passed to SENATE

## Recent Activity

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/01/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (13-0) on 05/24/2013. From Assembly: Passed (76-2) to Senate on 05/30/2013. To Senate Committee on Transportation & Housing on 06/13/2013.

**Positions** 

# **INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCING**

# **AB 1272**

Author **Party** 

Medina Location

Assembly **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank

## Bill Summary

Revises the definition of economic development facilities to include facilities that are used to provide goods movement and would define goods movement-related infrastructure. Revises the definition of port facilities to specifically reference airports, landports, waterports, and railports. The bill would authorize the bank to join or formally participate in regional, state, national, or international organizations related to infrastructure financing.

Status: Failed

# **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committee on Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy on 03/11/2013. From Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy: Do pass (8-0) to Appropriations on 04/09/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 04/17/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

# **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

## **AB 1320**

Author **Party** Bloom D

Location Assembly **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

Redevelopment: Property Tax: Passthrough Payments **Bill Summary** 

Provides that a specified amount of ad valorem property tax revenues allocated to a school entity, defined with reference to former passthrough payments made by a redevelopment agency, will not be included as ad valorem property tax revenues counted against the revenue limit for that entity.

Status: Failed **Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committees on Housing & Community Development and Local Government on 03/14/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Housing & Community Development on 04/10/2013. From Housing & Community Development: Do pass (7-0) to Local Government on 04/17/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

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## **WATER BOND**

# Climate Change Response for Clean and Safe Water

**AB 1331** 

Author **Party** Rendon D

Location Senate: NRW **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

**ENVIRONMENT:** WATER

**AB 1349** 

**Party** Author Gatto D

Location Assembly **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

#### Bill Summary

This bill wou d repeal existing law, the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Existing law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would enact the Clean and Safe Drinking Water Act of 2014, which, if adopted by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$6,500,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a clean and safe drinking water program. This bill would provide for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election.

# CalConserve Water Use Efficiency Revolving Fund

#### Bill Summary

Establishes the CalConserve Water Use Efficiency Revolving Fund for the purpose of water use efficiency projects. Requires moneys in the fund to be used for purposes that include, but are not limited to, at-or-below market interest rate loans.

# Status: Pending

## **Recent Activity**

From Assembly: Passed (60-0) to Senate on 05/29/2013. To Senate Committees on Natural Resources & Water and Environmental Quality on 06/13/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources & Water on 08/26/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources & Water on 09/11/2013. Author's amendments, rereferred to Natural Resources & Water on 01/07/2014.

Status: Failed

# Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committee on Water, Parks & Wildlife on 03/14/2013. From Water, Parks & Wildlife: Do pass (14-0) to Appropriations on 04/16/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/08/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/24/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

# **CAP & TRADE**

# Bill Summary

**AB 1375 Party** D

Chau Location Assembly

**Positions** 

**Next Hearing** 

Author

# **Market Compliance: Clean Technology Investment Account**

Create the Clean Technology Investment Account within the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund. Requires the Legislature to annually appropriate moneys from the fund into the Clean Technology Investment Account for the purposes of accelerating the development, demonstration, and deployment of clean technologies that will reduce greenhouse gas emissions and foster job creation.

# Status: Failed

# **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Assembly Committee on Natural Resources on 03/21/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 03/21/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 04/23/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (6-3) to Appropriations on 04/29/2013. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 05/07/2013. Died pursuant to Art. IV, Sec. 10(c) of the Constitution on 01/31/2014. Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

# **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

#### **SB 1**

Author **Party** Steinberg D

Senate **Next Hearing** 

Location

Inactive File **Positions** 

# **Sustainable Communities Investment Authority**

# **Bill Summary**

Authorizes certain public entities of a Sustainable Communities Investment Area to form a Sustainable Communities Investment Authority to carry out the Community Redevelopment Law. Provides for tax increment funding receipt under certain economic development and planning criteria. Establishes prequalification requirements for receipt of funding. Requires monitoring and enforcement of prevailing wage requirements within the area. Excludes certain types of farmland.

# **Status:** Passed Both Houses

## **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/20/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (5-2) on 05/23/2013. From Senate: Passed (27-11) to Assembly on 05/28/2013. To Assembly Committees on Housing & Community Development and Local Government on 06/14/2013. From Housing & Community Development: Do pass (5-2) to Local Government on 07/03/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 08/05/2013. From Local Government: Do pass (6-0) to Appropriations on 08/14/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/21/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (12-5) on 08/30/2013. From Assembly: Passed (48-28), to Senate for concurrence on 09/09/2013. From Senate: To Inactive File on 09/12/2013.

Assembly Committees: Accountability & Administrative Review (AAR) | Appropriations (A) | Budget (B) | Housing & Community Development (HCD) | Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy (JEDE) Local Government (LG) | Natural Resources (NR) | Revenue & Taxation (R&T) | Rules | Transportation (T) | Utilities & Commerce (U&C) | Water, Parks & Wildlife (WPW) Senate Committees: Appropriations (A) | Business, Professions & Economic Development (BPED) | Education (EDU) | Elections & Constitutional Amendments (ECA) | Energy, Utilities & Communications (EUC) Environmental Quality (EQ) | Governance & Finance (G&F) | Governmental Organization (GO) | Judiciary (J) | Labor & Industrial Relations (LIR) | Natural Resources & Water (NRW) | Rules (R) | Transportation & Housing (T&H)



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## **ENVIRONMENT**

# **Alternative Fuel: Vehicle Technologies: Funding**

## **SB 11**

Author **Party** Pavlev D

Location Assembly: T

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

Metro: Support Metrolink: Support in Concept

#### Bill Summary

Relates to compensation for the retirement of certain high polluting vehicles. Requires an update to guidelines for an enhanced fleet modernization program to include specified elements. Establishes compensation for replacement vehicles. Extends smog abatement fees in amounts required to make deposits into the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Fund, the Air Quality Improvement Fund, and a specified Subaccount. Relates to grants for air emission pollutant reduction projects. Extends the Carl Moyer Program, and a vehicle registration charge to fund the Carl Moyer Program, to January 1, 2024.

# Status: Passed to ASSEMBLY

#### **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/20/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (6-1) on 05/23/2013. From Senate: Passed (32-5) to Assembly on 05/29/2013. To Assembly Committees on Transportation and Natural Resources on 06/14/2013. From Transportation: Do pass (10-3) to Natural Resources on 07/01/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 08/06/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (6-2) to Appropriations on 08/12/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/21/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (12-4) on 08/30/2013. Rereferred to Transportation on 09/09/2013. From Transportation: Not heard in Committee on 09/11/2013.

# **INFRASTRUCTURE** FINANCING

# **SB 33**

**Author Party** 

Wolk D Location

Assembly

**Next Hearing** Inactive File

**Positions** 

CA League: Support

# **Infrastructure Financing Districts: Voter Approval**

Revises provisions governing infrastructure financing districts. Eliminates the requirement of voter approval for creation of the district and for bond issuance, and authorizes the legislative body to create the district subject to specified procedures. Authorizes the creation of such district subject to specified procedures. Authorizes a district to finance specified actions and project. Prohibits financing until a certain requirement is met. Prohibits assistance to a vehicle dealer or big box retailer.

# Status: Passed to ASSEMBLY

# **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: To Second Reading without further hearing on 04/08/2013. To Third Reading on 04/09/2013. From Senate: Passed (24-13) to Assembly on 04/11/2013. To Assembly Committee on Local Government on 05/16/2013. From Local Government: Do pass (5-2) to Appropriations on 06/12/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (11-5) on 07/03/2013. Amended, to Third Reading on 08/26/2013. From Assembly: To Inactive File on 09/11/2013.

# **ENVIRONMENT:** WATER

#### **SB 40**

Author **Party** Pavlev D

Location Senate

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act

# **Bill Summary**

**Bill Summary** 

Changes the name of the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012 to the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014. Declares the intent of the Legislature to amend the act for the purpose of reducing and potentially refocusing the bond.

# Status: Failed

# **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 12/10/2012. To Senate Committee on Rules on 01/10/2013. Amended by author, read second time, re-referred to Rules on 01/17/2013. Rereferred to Senate Committees on Natural Resources & Water and Rules on 01/31/3013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources & Water on 01/06/2014. Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

# LOCAL GOVERNMENT **FINANCE**

## **SB 56**

Author **Party** Roth

Location Senate

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# Local Government Finance: Vehicle License Fee

Modifies reduction and transfer provisions of the existing law, for the 2013-14 fiscal year and for each fiscal year thereafter, by providing for a vehicle license fee adjustment amount calculated on the basis of changes in assessed valuation. Provides for a fee adjustment for certain cities (Eastvale, Jurupa Valley, Menifee, and Wildomar) incorporating after a specified date.

# Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 01/07/2013. To Senate Committee on Rules on 01/17/2013. Author's amendments, rereferred to Rules on 03/04/2013. Re-referred to Governance & Finance on 03/14/2013. From Governance & Finance: Not heard in Committee on 04/17/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Governance & Finance on 04/23/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Governance & Finance on 05/30/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Governance & Finance on 06/11/2013. From Governance & Finance: Do pass (7-0) to Appropriations on 06/19/2013. Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

Assembly Committees: Accountability & Administrative Review (AAR) | Appropriations (A) | Budget (B) | Housing & Community Development (HCD) | Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy (JEDE) Local Government (LG) | Natural Resources (NR) | Revenue & Taxation (R&T) | Rules | Transportation (T) | Utilities & Commerce (U&C) | Water, Parks & Wildlife (WPW) Senate Committees: Appropriations (A) | Business, Professions & Economic Development (BPED) | Education (EDU) | Elections & Constitutional Amendments (ECA) | Energy, Utilities & Communications (EUC) Environmental Quality (EQ) | Governance & Finance (G&F) | Governmental Organization (GO) | Judiciary (J) | Labor & Industrial Relations (LIR) | Natural Resources & Water (NRW) | Rules (R) | Transportation & Housing (T&H)



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## **CAP & TRADE**

# **Global Warming Solutions: Clean Technology Investment**

## **SB 64**

Author **Party** 

Corbett Location

Assembly: NR **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

CA League: Support

#### Bill Summary

Creates the Clean Technology Investment Account within the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund. Requires appropriations of moneys in the fund or other funds to the account in the Budget Act. Makes such funds available for grants to nonprofit public benefit corporations and regional technology alliances to design and implement program that accelerate the development, demonstration, and deployment of technologies that would reduce greenhouse gas emissions and foster job creation in the state.

# Status: Passed to ASSEMBLY

#### **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: Not heard in committee on 05/06/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/13/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (5-0) on 05/23/2013. From Senate: Passed (30-7) to Assembly on 05/29/2013. To Assembly Committees on Natural Resources and Utilities & Commerce on 06/14/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 06/14/2013. Re-referred to Rules on 06/20/2013. Re-referred to Natural Resources on 06/24/2013. From Natural Resources: Hearing canceled at the request of the author on 08/12/2013.

**SB 69** 

# VEHICLE LICENSE FEE Local Government Finance: Property Tax Revenue Allocation

## **Bill Summary**

This bill would modify property tax reduction and transfer provisions, for the 2013-14 fiscal year and for each fiscal year thereafter, by providing for a vehicle license fee **Party** adjustment amount calculated on the basis of changes in assessed valuation. This bill D would also modify these reduction and transfer provisions, for the 2013-14 fiscal year and for each fiscal year thereafter, by providing for a vehicle license fee adjustment amount for certain cities incorporating after a specified date, as provided.

#### **Status:** Passed to ASSEMBLY

#### **Recent Activity**

From Senate: Passed (30-6) to Assembly on 05/30/2013. To Assembly Committee on Rules on 09/11/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Rules on 09/12/2013.

#### **Positions**

Author

Location

Assembly: R **Next Hearing** 

Roth

# **ENVIRONMENT: JUDICIAL REVIEW**

#### **SB 123**

Author **Party** Corbett D

Location Senate

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# **Environmental and Land-Use Court**

# Bill Summary

Requires the Judicial Council to direct the creation of an environmental and land-use division within the Superior Courts selected by the Council to process civil proceedings brought pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act or in specified subject areas, including air quality, biological resources, climate change, hazards and hazardous materials, land use planning, and water quality. Increases the fees for environmental license plates with revenue for the environmental and land use court.

# Status: Failed Recent Activity

Introduced on 01/18/2013. To Senate Committee on Judiciary on 01/31/2013. Author's amendments, rereferred to Judiciary on 04/04/2013. From Judiciary: Do pass (4-3) to Appropriations on 04/16/2013. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 04/23/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Appropriations on 05/02/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/13/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/23/2013. Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

Assembly Committees: Accountability & Administrative Review (AAR) | Appropriations (A) | Budget (B) | Housing & Community Development (HCD) | Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy (JEDE) Local Government (LG) | Natural Resources (NR) | Revenue & Taxation (R&T) | Rules | Transportation (T) | Utilities & Commerce (U&C) | Water, Parks & Wildlife (WPW) Senate Committees: Appropriations (A) | Business, Professions & Economic Development (BPED) | Education (EDU) | Elections & Constitutional Amendments (ECA) | Energy, Utilities & Communications (EUC) Environmental Quality (EQ) | Governance & Finance (G&F) | Governmental Organization (GO) | Judiciary (J) | Labor & Industrial Relations (LIR) | Natural Resources & Water (NRW) | Rules (R) | Transportation & Housing (T&H)



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# **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

**SB 133** 

**Author Party** D DeSaulnier Location Senate

Next Hearing Inactive File **Positions** 

# Redevelopment

#### **Bill Summary**

Amends the Community Redevelopment Law. Requires a redevelopment agency to include additional information relating to any major audit violations, any corrections of those violations, and planning and general administrative expenses of the Low and Moderate Income Housing Fund. Authorizes quality control reviews by the Controller and the publishing of those reviews. Requires audits of such agencies to ensure compliance with the law. Relates to funding for housing construction and/or rehabilitation.

Status: Passed Both Houses

# **Recent Activity**

From Transportation & Housing: Do pass (11-0) to Consent Calendar on 04/02/2013. From Senate: Passed (38-0) to Assembly on 04/08/2013. To Assembly Committee on Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy on 05/09/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy on 06/10/2013. Rereferred to Rules on 06/14/2013. Re-referred to Housing & Community Development and Local Government on 06/17/2013. From Housing & Community Development: Do pass (5-2) to Local Government on 07/03/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 08/06/2013. From Local Government: Do pass (9-0) to Appropriations on 08/14/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/21/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (17-0) on 08/30/2013. From Assembly: Passed (77-0), to Senate for concurrence on 09/04/2013. From Senate: To Inactive File on 09/10/2013.

# **ENVIRONMENT**

#### **Bill Summary**

**SB 167** 

Author **Party** Gaines R

Location **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# **California Environmental Quality Act**

Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act that requires a lead agency to prepare an environmental impact report on a project that it proposes to carry out that may have a significant effect on the environment.

Status: Failed

# Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/04/2013. To Senate Committee on Rules on 02/14/2013. Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

# **TRANSPORTATION**

#### **Bill Summary**

**SB 337** 

Author Party R

**Emmerson** Location Senate

**Next Hearing** 

**State Highway Route 74** 

Relinquishes to the City of Hemet that portion of State Highway Route 74 located within its city limits or sphere of influence under specified conditions.

Status: Failed

#### Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/20/2013. To Senate Committee on Transportation & Housing on 02/28/2013. Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

**Positions** 

# **ENVIRONMENT**

# **Electric Generating Facilities: Emissions Offsets**

# **Bill Summary**

**SB 389** 

Author **Party** Wright D

Location Senate **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

Prohibits South Coast Air Quality Management District from charging a fee for the transfer of an emissions offset from the district's internal emissions offset account to offset any emissions increase from the replacement of electric utility steam boilers at electric generating facilities.

Status: Pending

# **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 02/20/2013. To Senate Committee on Environmental Quality on 02/28/2013. From Environmental Quality: Failed passage (4-4), reconsideration granted on 04/17/2013. From Environmental Quality: Failed passage (4-5) on 05/01/2013. Returned to Secretary of the Senate on 05/09/2013.

Assembly Committees: Accountability & Administrative Review (AAR) | Appropriations (A) | Budget (B) | Housing & Community Development (HCD) | Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy (JEDE) Local Government (LG) | Natural Resources (NR) | Revenue & Taxation (R&T) | Rules | Transportation (T) | Utilities & Commerce (U&C) | Water, Parks & Wildlife (WPW) Senate Committees: Appropriations (A) | Business, Professions & Economic Development (BPED) | Education (EDU) | Elections & Constitutional Amendments (ECA) | Energy, Utilities & Communications (EUC) Environmental Quality (EQ) | Governance & Finance (G&F) | Governmental Organization (GO) | Judiciary (J) | Labor & Industrial Relations (LIR) | Natural Resources & Water (NRW) | Rules (R) | Transportation & Housing (T&H)



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# **AFFORDABLE HOUSING**

**SB 391** 

**Party** 

D

**Author** DeSaulnier

Location Assembly

**Next Hearing** Suspense File

**Positions** 

CA League: Support

# State Homes and Jobs Act of 2013

#### **Bill Summary**

Enacts the California Homes and Jobs Act of 2013. Imposes a fee to be paid at the time of the recording of every real estate instrument, paper, or notice required or permitted by law to be recorded. Requires that revenues sent guarterly to the Department of Housing and Community Development for deposit in a related fund. Provides that fund moneys expended for supporting affordable housing, administering housing programs and the cost of periodic audits. Requires prevailing wage monitoring and enforcement.

Status: Passed to ASSEMBLY

## **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: Not heard on 05/06/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Appropriations on 05/07/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/13/2013. Author's amendments, rereferred to Appropriations on 05/20/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (5-2) on 05/23/2013. From Senate: Passed (27-12) to Assembly on 05/29/2013. To Assembly Committees on Housing & Community Development and Labor & Employment on 06/14/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Housing & Community Development on 08/08/2013. From Housing & Community Development: Do pass (4-2) to Labor & Employment on 08/12/2013. From Labor & Employment: Do pass (5-0) to Appropriations on 08/14/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/30/2013.

# **PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION**

**SB 423** 

Author **Party** Huff

Location Senate

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# **Public Transportation Employees: Strikes: Prohibition Bill Summary**

Prohibits a state or local public transportation employee or employee organization from engaging in, causing, instigating, encouraging, or condoning a strike. Provides that certain employees shall not authorize, approve, condone, or consent to a strike. Provides a process for review regarding any violation of the prohibition. Provides any employee in violation is subject to removal or other disciplinary action and to pay forfeiture. Requires public disclosure of employees involved in the strike.

# Status: Failed **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 02/21/2013. To Senate Committee on Rules on 03/11/2013. Author's amendments, rereferred to Rules on 09/12/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Rules on 01/06/2014. Rereferrred to Public Employment & Retirement on 01/09/2014. From Public Employment & Retirement: Failed passage (2-3), Reconsideration Granted on 01/13/2014. Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

# **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SB 431**

**Party** 

**Author** D Price

Location Senate

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# **State Socioeconomic Development Pods Program**

#### **Bill Summary**

Establishes the State Socioeconomic Development Pods Program to encourage the use of social innovative financing, with the blighted areas of the state. Creates the Pod Accelerator Fund.

# Status: Failed **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 02/21/2013. To Senate Committee on Rules on 03/11/2013. Author's amendments, rereferred to Rules on 04/02/2013. Re-referred to Governance & Finance and Business, Professions & Economic Development on 04/03/2013. Withdrawn from Governance & Finance and Business, Professions & Economic Development on 04/15/2013. Rereferred to Rules on 04/15/2013. Re-referred to Business, Professions & Economic Development and Governance & Finance on 04/18/2013. From Business, Professions & Economic Development: Do pass (10-0) to Governance & Finance on 04/29/2013. From Governance & Finance: Do pass (6-1) to Appropriations on 05/01/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/13/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 05/23/2013. Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/03/2014.

Assembly Committees: Accountability & Administrative Review (AAR) | Appropriations (A) | Budget (B) | Housing & Community Development (HCD) | Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy (JEDE) Local Government (LG) | Natural Resources (NR) | Revenue & Taxation (R&T) | Rules | Transportation (T) | Utilities & Commerce (U&C) | Water, Parks & Wildlife (WPW) Senate Committees: Appropriations (A) | Business, Professions & Economic Development (BPED) | Education (EDU) | Elections & Constitutional Amendments (ECA) | Energy, Utilities & Communications (EUC) Environmental Quality (EQ) | Governance & Finance (G&F) | Governmental Organization (GO) | Judiciary (J) | Labor & Industrial Relations (LIR) | Natural Resources & Water (NRW) | Rules (R) | Transportation & Housing (T&H)



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# ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

**SB 511** 

Author Party

**Location** Assembly

Next Hearing
Positions

SCAG: Sponsored

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SB 592

AuthorPartyPriceD

Location
Assembly: A
Next Hearing
Held in Committee

**Positions** 

Author

Location

Assembly: A

**Positions** 

Next Hearing

Held in Committee

CA League: Watch

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**Trade Promotion of State Ports** 

**Bill Summary** 

This bill requires GO-Biz to convene a statewide business partnership that advises GO-Biz on port trade promotion, on or before February 1, 2015; and requires the partnership to include, but not be limited, to representatives from (1) ports of entry; (2) ocean carriers; (3) marine terminal operators; (4) warehouse operators; (5) railroads; (6) trucking companies; (7) labor representatives; (8) foreign trade zones; (9) environmental group representatives; and (10) shippers, including agricultural exporters, manufacturers, postconsumer secondary material handlers, and retailers.

Status: Passed to ASSEMBLY

**Recent Activity** 

From Senate Committee on Business, Professions & Economic Development: Do pass (9-0) to Appropriations on 01/13/2014. From Appropriations: To second reading without further hearing on 01/21/2014. From Senate: Passed (31-0) to Assembly on 01/23/2014. Awaiting committee assignment.

**Trade Promotion of California Ports** 

**Bill Summary** 

Requires the Director of the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development to provide to the Legislature a strategy for promoting trade for State airports, land ports, and seaports that, at a minimum includes specified information, objectives, goals and recommendations. Requires that the strategy be submitted to various legislative entities. Requires convening a statewide business partnership for promotion of trade for State ports and to explore greater utilization of State ports.

Status: Passed to ASSEMBLY

**Recent Activity** 

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 04/15/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (7-0) on 05/23/2013. From Senate: Passed (38-0) to Assembly on 05/28/2013. To Assembly Committee on Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy on 06/17/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Jobs, Economic Devleopment & The Economy on 06/25/2013. From Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy: Do pass (8-0) to Appropriations on 08/12/2013. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 08/13/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/21/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 08/30/2013.

**CAP-AND-TRADE** 

**SB 605** 

**Party** 

D

California Global Warming Solutions Act: Scoping Plan

**Bill Summary** 

Requires the Controller to determine the amount of moneys collected and deposited in the Greenhouse Reduction Fund by the State Air Resources Board. Appropriates moneys from the fund for projects and programs in disadvantaged communities. Authorizes expenditures for administrative purposes. Requires the Board, when updating a greenhouse gas emissions reduction scoping plan, to include specified criteria, and to submit that criteria to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee.

Status: Passed to ASSEMBLY

**Recent Activity** 

From Senate: Passed (27-11) to Assembly on 05/29/2013. To Assembly Committee on Natural Resources on 06/14/2013. Author's amendments, rereferred to Natural Resources on 06/18/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 07/03/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (6-3) to Appropriations on 08/12/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/21/2013. From Appropriations: Held in Committee on 08/30/2013.

**ENVIRONMENT** 

California Environmental Quality Act

**Bill Summary** 

Amends various provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act. Requires that notices regarding environmental impact reports filed by lead agencies need to be filed with the Office of Planning and Research and the county clerk and posted by that clerk for public review. Provides additional duties regarding notices by the Office and the clerk. Requires a statement in the report regarding the placement of the project near natural hazards or adverse environment conditions. Repeals specified exemptions.

Status: Failed

Recent Activity

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Senate Committee on Environmental Quality on 03/11/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Environmental Quality on 04/01/2013. From Environmental Quality: Hearing postponed by Committee on 04/04/2013. From Environmental Quality: Do pass (7-2) to Appropriations on 05/01/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/13/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (5-2) on 05/23/2013. From Senate: To Inactive File on 05/30/2013. Died on file pursuant to Joint Rule 56 on 02/06/2014.

SB 617

Author Party
Evans D

Senate
Next Hearing

Location

**Positions** 

Assembly Committees: Accountability & Administrative Review (AAR) | Appropriations (A) | Budget (B) | Housing & Community Development (HCD) | Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy (JEDE)

Local Government (LG) | Natural Resources (NR) | Revenue & Taxation (R&T) | Rules | Transportation (T) | Utilities & Commerce (U&C) | Water, Parks & Wildlife (WPW)

Senate Committees: Appropriations (A) | Business, Professions & Economic Development (BPED) | Education (EDU) | Elections & Constitutional Amendments (ECA) | Energy, Utilities & Communications (EUC)

Environmental Quality (EQ) | Governance & Finance (G&F) | Governmental Organization (GO) | Judiciary (I) | Labor & Industrial Relations (LIR) | Natural Resources & Water (NRW) | Rules (R) | Transportation & Housing (T&H)



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# INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCING

**SB 628** 

Author Party

**Location** Senate

**Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

# **Infrastructure Financing: Transit Priority Projects**

#### **Bill Summary**

Eliminates the requirement of voter approval for the adoption of an infrastructure financing plan, the creation of an infrastructure financing district, and the issuance of bonds with respect to a transit priority project. Requires a specified percentage of the revenue for increasing, improving, and preserving the supply of lower and moderate-income housing. Requires a low-income housing replacement ordinance.

# Status: Withdrawn From Enrollment

#### **Recent Activity**

From Transportation & Housing: Do pass (7-3) on 05/07/2013. Amended on 05/14/2013. From Senate: Passed (24-11) to Assembly on 05/20/2013. To Assembly Committees on Local Government and Housing & Community Development on 06/03/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Local Government on 06/17/2013. From Local Government: Do pass (EDT) to Housing & Community Development on 06/26/2013. From Housing & Community Development: Do pass (4-2) on 07/03/2013. From Assembly: Passed (46-29), to Senate for concurrence on 08/08/2013. Senate concurred in Assembly amendments, to Enrollment on 08/15/2013. Withdrawn from Enrollment, held at Senate desk on 08/19/2013.

# **ENVIRONMENT**

# **CEQA**

## **Bill Summary**

Author Party
Pavley D

**SB 633** 

Location
Assembly: A
Next Hearing

Amends the California Environmental Quality Act. Specifies, for purposes of new information exception to the prohibition on requiring a subsequent or supplement environmental impact report, that a specified exception applies if new information was not known and could not have been known by the lead or any responsible agency at the time the report was certified as complete. Authorizes the development of guidelines to exempt projects involving minor temporary uses of land and public gatherings.

Status: Passed to ASSEMBLY

## **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/20/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (7-0) on 05/23/2013. From Senate: Passed (39-0) to Assmebly on 05/30/2013. To Assembly Committee on Natural Resources on 06/17/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (9-0) to Appropriations on 07/01/2013. Amended, re-referred to Appropriations on 08/06/2013.

## **Positions**

# **ENVIRONMENT**

# **Environment: California Environmental Quality Act**

# **Bill Summary**

Relates to the State Environmental Quality Act. Provides that certain impacts of a residential, mixed-use, or employment center project within a transit priority area shall not be considered significant impacts. Requires guidelines for thresholds of significance for noise and transportation impacts to be made available. Requires preparation of environmental impact reports. Extends the tolling of time for judicial actions and mitigation measures. Relates to sustainable communities planning and grants.

#### Status: Passed to ASSEMBLY

# **Recent Activity**

From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 05/20/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (7-0) on 05/23/2013. From Senate: Passed (39-0) to Assembly on 05/29/2013. To Assembly Committees on Natural Resources and Local Government on 06/17/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (6-1) to Local Government on 07/01/2013. Amended, re-referred to Local Government on 08/06/2013. From Local Government: Do pass (7-0) to Appropriations on 08/14/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 08/21/2013. From Appropriations: Do pass (11-0) on 08/30/2013. Amended on 09/06/2013. Rereferred to Natural Resources and Local Government on 09/09/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Natural Resources on 09/09/2013. From Natural Resources: Do pass (5-1) to Local Government on 09/10/2013. From Local Government: Do pass (9-0) on 09/11/2013.

#### LITTINGITION

## **SB 731**

Author Party
Steinberg D

**Location** Assembly

**Next Hearing** 

#### **Positions**

SCAG: Work With Author CA League: Watch CSAC: Support in Concept RCTC: Work With Author SANBAG: Work With Author

Assembly Committees: Accountability & Administrative Review (AAR) | Appropriations (A) | Budget (B) | Housing & Community Development (HCD) | Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy (JEDE)

Local Government (LC) | Natural Resources (NR) | Revenue & Taxation (R&T) | Rules | Transportation (T) | Utilities & Commerce (U&C) | Water, Parks & Wildlife (WPW)

Senate Committees: Appropriations (A) | Business, Professions & Economic Development (BPED) | Elections & Constitutional Amendments (ECA) | Fenzey, Utilities & Communications (EUC)

Environmental Quality (EQ) | Governance & Finance (G&F) | Governmental Organization (GO) | Judiciary (J) | Labor & Industrial Relations (LIR) | Natural Resources & Water (NRW) | Rules (R) | Transportation & Housing (T&H)



Last Update:

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# FINANCE: TAX CREDIT California Transportation Financing Authority

**SB 810** 

**Author Party** Price

Location Senate

Next Hearing

SCAG: Support

**Positions** 

**Bill Summary** 

Authorizes the Franchise Tax Board to award tax credit certificates to exporters and importers that demonstrate they have increased their cargo tonnage or value through state ports and airports by specified amounts or had a net increase in fulltime employees. Amends the Personal Income Tax Law and the Corporation Income Tax Law. Allows a credit against the taxes imposed by those laws if a taxpayer receives a tax credit certificate.

Safe Drinking Water: Water Quality: Flood Protection

**Bill Summary** 

**SB 848 Partv** 

Author Wolk D

**WATER BOND** 

Location Senate: EQ **Next Hearing** 

**Positions** 

Enacts the Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality, and Flood Protection Act of 2014 which would authorize the issuance of bonds pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water, water quality, and flood protection program.

Rule 56 on 02/03/2014. Status: Pending Recent Activity

Status: Failed

**Recent Activity** 

Introduced 01/09/2014. To Senate Committees on Natural Resources & Water, Environmental Quality, and Governance & Finance on 01/23/2014. From Natural Resources & Water: Do pass (6-0) to Environmental Quality on 02/11/2014.

Introduced on 02/22/2013. To Senate Committees on

Transportation & Housing and Governance & Finance

Author's amendments, re-referred to Transportation

Transportation & Housing and Governance & Finance

on 04/23/2013. Re-referred to Rules on 04/23/2013. Re-referred to Governance & Finance on 04/25/2013.

Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint

on 03/11/2013. From Transportation & Housing:

& Housing on 04/22/2013. Withdrawn from

Hearing postponed by Committee on 04/15/2013.

**VOTER THRESHOLD** 

SCA 4

**Local Government Transportation Project: Voter Approval** 

**Bill Summary** 

Proposes an amendment to the Constitution to provide the imposition, extension, or increase of a special tax by a local government for the purpose of providing funding for local transportation projects requires the approval of a related proposition that includes certain requirements. Prohibits the local government from expending any revenues derived from a special transportation tax approved by the voters at any time prior to the completion of a identified capital project funded by specified

Status: Pending

**Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 12/03/2012. To Senate Committees on Governnace & Finance and Rules on 02/14/2013. Author's amendments, re-referred to Governance & Finance on 03/19/2013. From Governance & Finance: Be adopted (5-1), to Rules on 05/15/2013. Amended, re-referred to Rules on 05/21/2013. Re-referred to Transportation & Housing on 05/29/2013. From Transportation & Housing: Not heard in committee on 07/09/2013. From Transportation & Housing: Be adopted (7-2), to Rules on 08/27/2013.

**Positions** 

Author

Location

Senate: R

Liu

Metro: Support **VCTC:** Support OCTA: Oppose

**Next Hearing** 

**Initiative Measures: Funding Source** 

Bill Summary

SCA 6 Party

**Party** 

Author DeSaulnier D Location

**FINANCE** 

**Next Hearing** Third Reading File

Senate

**Positions** 

Proposes an amendment to the Constitution to prohibit an initiative measure that would result in a net increase in state or local government costs, from being submitted to the electors or having any effect unless and until the Legislative Analyst and the Director of Finance jointly determine that the initiative measure provides for additional revenues in an amount that meets or exceeds the net increase in costs.

Status: Pending

Recent Activity

Introduced on 12/03/2012. To Senate Committee on Elections & Constitutional Amendments on 02/07/2013. From Elections & Constitutional Amendments: Be adopted (3-1) to Appropriations on 03/19/2013. From Appropriations: To Suspense File on 04/08/2013. From Appropriations: Be adopted (5-2) on 05/23/2013.

Assembly Committees: Accountability & Administrative Review (AAR) | Appropriations (A) | Budget (B) | Housing & Community Development (HCD) | Jobs, Economic Development & The Economy (JEDE) Local Government (LG) | Natural Resources (NR) | Revenue & Taxation (R&T) | Rules | Transportation (T) | Utilities & Commerce (U&C) | Water, Parks & Wildlife (WPW) Senate Committees: Appropriations (A) | Business, Professions & Economic Development (BPED) | Education (EDU) | Elections & Constitutional Amendments (ECA) | Energy, Utilities & Communications (EUC) Environmental Quality (EQ) | Governance & Finance (G&F) | Governmental Organization (GO) | Judiciary (J) | Labor & Industrial Relations (LIR) | Natural Resources & Water (NRW) | Rules (R) | Transportation & Housing (T&H)



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# **VOTER THRESHOLD**

# **Transportation Projects: Special Taxes: Voter Approval**

#### Bill Summary

SCA8

**Author Party** D Corbett

Location Senate: R **Next Hearing**  Proposes an amendment to the Constitution to provide that the imposition, extension, or increase of a special tax by a local government for the purpose of providing funding for transportation projects requires the approval of 55% of its voters voting on the proposition, if the proposition includes certain requirements. Status: Pending

#### **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 12/14/2012. To Senate Committees on Governnace & Finance and Rules on 02/14/2013. From Governance & Finance: Be adopted (5-2), to Rules on 05/15/2013. Amended, re-referred to Rules on 05/21/2013. Re-referred to Transportation & Housing on 05/29/2013. From Transportation & Housing: Not heard in committee on 07/09/2013. From Transportation & Housing: Be adopted (7-2), to Rules on 08/27/2013.

# **Positions**

Metro: Support OCTA: Oppose

# **VOTER THRESHOLD**

# **Bill Summary**

SCA 9 **Party** 

Corbett D Location Senate: A

**Positions** 

**Next Hearing** 

Author

# **Local Government: Economic Development: Special Taxes**

Proposes an amendment to the Constitution to provide that the imposition, extension, or increase of a special tax by a local government for the purpose of providing funding for community and economic development projects requires the approval of a specified percentage of its voters voting on the proposition, if the proposition contains specified requirements.

Status: Pending

# **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 12/18/2012. To Senate Committees on Governance & Finance and Elections & Constitutional Amendments on 02/07/2013, From Governance & Finance: Be adopted (5-1), to Elections & Constitutional Amendments on 05/15/2013. Amended, re-referred to Elections & Constitutional Amendments on 05/21/2013. From Elections & Constitutional Amendments: Be adopted (3-0) to Rules on 06/18/2013. Re-referred to Appropriations on 06/27/2013.

# **LEGISLATIVE PROCEDURE**

# **SCA 10**

Author **Party** 

Huff Location Senate: R

**Next Hearing** 

# **Legislative Procedure**

## **Bill Summary**

Authorizes a committee to hear or act on a bill if the bill, in the form to be considered by the committee, has been in print and published on the Internet for at least 15 days. Prohibits either house of the Legislature from passing a bill until the bill, in the form to be voted on, has been made available to the public, in print and published on the Internet, for at least 72 hours preceding the vote.

Status: Pending **Recent Activity** 

Introduced on 01/22/2013. To Senate Committee on Rules on 01/31/2013.

#### **Positions**

CA League: Support

# **VOTER THRESHOLD**

# **Bill Summary**

**SCA 11** Author **Party** Hancock D

Senate: A **Next Hearing** 

Location

**Positions** OCTA: Oppose Proposes an amendment to the Constitution to condition the imposition, extension, or increase of a special tax by a local government upon the approval of 55% of the voters voting on the proposition, if the proposition proposing the tax contains specified requirements.

**Local Government: Special Taxes: Voter Approval** 

Status: Pending

### **Recent Activity**

Introduced on 01/25/2013. To Senate Committees on Governance & Finance and Elections & Constitutional Amendments on 02/07/2013. From Governance & Finance: Be adopted (5-1), to Elections & Constitutional Amendments on 05/15/2013. Amended, re-referred to Elections & Constitutional Amendments on 05/21/2013. From Elections & Constitutional Amendments: Be adopted (3-0) to Rules on 06/18/2013. Re-referred to Appropriations on 06/27/2013.

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